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A HORRIBLE ACCIDENT.

Conductor Morris, of the L. and St. L.
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The Train Thrown From the Track by a
Misplaced Rail, the Work of
Demons in Human Form.

About 1 o'clock Thursday morning a terrible accident occurred on the Indianapolis and St. Louis Road, in which Conductor George Morris, of this city, was instantly killed. The train is known as the New York Express, and leaves St. Louis early in the evening, arriving in this city about 4 o'clock on the following morning. Immediately after the accident occurred a telegram was sent to his friends and relatives in this city giving particulars of the catastrophe. The following special to the Sentinel gives the facts as they occurred:

DETAILS OF THE ACCIDENT.
TERRE HAUTE, Ind., Sept. 9.—The L. and St. L. passenger train No. 5, due here at 12:30 a. m., was thrown from the track by a misplaced rail early this morning, three-quarters of a mile west of St. Marys. Conductor George Morris was instantly killed, and an old lady, who has since gone East, and whose name is unknown, was injured about the head. How the engine, passengers, escaped in the manner they did seems miraculous. The train wrecked is very fast, and was east-bound. At Mattoon a telegram was received from the conductor of the west-bound freight No. 10, giving warning of an attempt to throw the train from the track with boards placed across the same. A switch train goes out every night to assist No. 10 up the steep grade. At Sandford it encountered some boards on the track, which had been taken up from the crossing west of St. Marys. The engine brushed the obstruction, but it was considered significant, and the fact was telegraphed to the east-bound passenger train. Wm. White, engineer, was, therefore, looking out for something when he came down the grade between Sandford and St. Marys, but no boards were encountered. The wretches had planned, however, to place a board in a different place. The point selected is a trestle over a narrow gulch some thirty feet deep and fifty wide, where the third rail, west of the trestle on the south side of the track, was taken up and moved to the other side. When Engineer White noticed the change in the track he was too close to stop, but with perfect presence of mind pulled the engine back to the last notch and made the engine jump at a furious speed and in this manner the engine, baggage car and two coaches cleared the hollow. The Horton chair car and sleeper were left balanced on the stringers of the trestle. The engine ran up the track about a hundred feet and stopped without upsetting. Morris was seated in the smoking car on the coal box. A passenger asked him how far it was to Terre Haute? He replied to the question, and stooped to open the stove door, when the car gave a violent lurch forward, overturned, and, heading against the bank, was burst in at the end, and Morris was terribly injured about the head and bruised in other parts of the body. He died in a few minutes. The fireman was not hurt. The engineer escaped with painful cuts on the hands. There were seventy-five passengers on board. The Company are in possession of facts which may lead to the capture of the villains who were the cause of the accident.

THE REMAINS.
Undertaker Kregelo left this city on the 8 a. m. train for the scene of the disaster, and took charge of the remains. He had the body embalmed, by order of the Railroad Company, and returned on the 5:45 p. m. train yesterday. The remains, after being properly dressed, were sent to the Morris residence, No. 161 Pendleton avenue. The funeral is announced to take place tomorrow at 2 o'clock. A number of employees of the Company are expected from the west end of the road to be present at the funeral. The following persons were on the train with Morris at the time of the accident: Billy White, engineer; Dan Watson, fireman; James Smith, baggage-master; Perry Conn, brakeman; and Ad Heermans, American Express messenger. Mr. Morris was highly respected and loved by all his comrades and friends. He leaves a wife and four children—three girls, the oldest of whom is about sixteen years of age, and one boy. There seems to be a difference of opinion as to the position of Mr. Morris at the time of the crash. Mr. W. R. Calkins, of Rochester, N. Y., who was a passenger on the ill-fated train and an eye-witness, thinks that Morris was sitting on the front seat in the smoking car, near the stove, and that he fell from the iron poker in his hand into the act of opening the stove door when the crash came. Mrs. S. W. Rogers, of St. Louis, is the name of the lady injured. She is quartered at the New-Denison, and was resting easy last night.

EVANSVILLE DEPARTMENT.

By the resignation of a councilman in the first ward a special election was ordered. The ward is Republican by about 90, and though the Democrats made extraordinary efforts, the ward was carried by the Republicans by a majority of 148.

In the procession the Democrats show up to good advantage, but somehow they don't materialize worth a cent at the polls. The Democrats ought to have some unity of action. In your city they are flattered by having a colored man address them, in this city they are fighting on the color-line wholly, and exultantly say they want no Negro votes, and your Secretary of State, Shanklin advises the white man's party to drive the Negro from the city either by a writ of ejectment or a club. Yet we remember that two years ago Mr. J. Gil Shanklin, at a democratic demonstration at the Turner Hall was seen drunk and with one arm affectionately clasping a black brother's neck—stealing his soul with many vows of faith.

A magnificent ovation was tendered Senator Logan, Thursday night. It was fitting, for Logan is a good man. In battle, in the forum, or the stump place is a foremost one. The demonstration was electrical—it was inspiring and sincere. The streets packed. Evan's Hall was packed with an orderly surging mass of ladies and gentlemen. Not a foot of room was vacant. Logan was greeted with a long and enthusiastic cheer. It was a regular "Chicago yell." He had his audience with him at the "go," and English had better "foreclose a mortgage" on this orator for he is doing English damage. The Senator was inspired and though he has always borne the reputation of a logical orator several of his bursts of eloquence carried his audience to the highest pitch of enthusiasm. For instance, read his contrast between the two parties: "The glacier engraves its record on the mountain sides. The river establishes its memorials in its progress to the sea. The ocean inscribes the history of its convulsions in the crag upon

its shore. Every thing in material nature is its own biographer. The Democratic party is no exception to the rule. It has written its own shameful history in the blood of 300,000 of its loyal countrymen. It has left its mark in the Congressional record, all through the war and in every movement for the betterment of the people, 'tis a demonstration 'nay' against a republican 'aye.' This the written, not the unwritten history of the party."

REPUBLICANISM.
But what of the Republican party? Its record is also made. It is for all time. The iron shackles of the slave, piled mountain high are evidence of the Republican party attachment to the liberty of man. The National flag floating triumphantly upon all the land and on every sea proves national authority has been maintained. The Treasury notes at par and national bonds at a premium in all markets show financial credit under Republican administration. Add to this a condition of prosperity among all the people such as was never known before, and we have a comprehensive summary of the achievements of the Republican party. Now isn't this grand? The applause at the striking passages was almost deafening at Evansville.

SCHOOL.
Our schools opened their doors to the weary of play pupils, and the purse broken pedagogues. Mr. Watkins has the Colored High School, Mr. Horn the 8 year grade at the St. John School. At Governor Street are Mr. Anderson, Miss Goodrich, Miss Glenn, Miss K. McIntosh and Mrs. Watkins. At Independent School are Mr. and Mrs. Boesher; at Clair Street are the Misses Wilson and Moulton. The attendance is encouraging in all the grades. Except the higher ones. There is an alarming falling off in the attendance of the larger sized pupils in the higher grades. The blind prejudice of Southern Indiana will not permit a colored pupil to attend the general High School. So the colored pupils are corralled in a "separate" school. In this school there are five pupils, and what is more strange, there are five different grades. Mr. Watkins ability as an instructor is first class but his efforts are seemingly paralyzed by the great number of grades. Alas! the same state of affairs exists in Mr. Horn's school. He is about twenty-six pupils with four grades, the two of them preparing for the High School. It is almost impossible with the great number of grades to bring every pupil up to the required standard. The consequence is that pupils, who fail, invariably drop out of school at the most important period of their school-day. We learn that Mr. Beisel also has four grades. The colored teacher with four grades is expected to do equally as good work as the white teacher with one. The colored boy is expected to do a good work as the white boy through the colored teacher by lack of time is prevented giving as comprehensive and thorough instruction. In consequence the "bright" pupils are promoted, and the "dull" ones, by failing to receive full instructions, fail. Then he leaves school.

The "White man's club" boasted Sigel Wednesday night, all the hoodlums in the city are found therein. It is well that they carry no arms, for if they did the Democratic club could only see what it is doing the yelling, and parading they would quite the party in disgust. They take much pride in yelling that this is a white man's party. We are confident that their hearts are black with prejudice, and hatred for the institutions of this country.

Fred Douglass, the foremost black man in this Nation will speak here Saturday night.

NOTES HERE AND THERE.
The ladies of the A. M. E. Church tendered Rev. M. Lewis a farewell reception Monday night. He was presented many fine presents, and a member of the congregation was present. Never did a minister depart leaving so many friends behind.

The colored troops showed up to good advantage Tuesday night. It makes the men's howl to see so many true voters in line. They certainly have a right to be proud to be in the fold but the colored man knows a wolf when he sees it.

Messrs. A. C. Horn, P. Cooper, W. N. Curry, W. H. Beecher, D. Rouse and C. Burrus, will be in attendance at the G. U. O. Convention. Treat they boys kindly for they are orphans.

Miss Edie L. Stacher, teaches one of our suburban schools this year.

The Baptist Church will make a grand affair of the 22nd.

This Grand Lodge of Masons convene in this city Tuesday. A parade will take place on Friday, and at night the installment will take place at the U. B. F. Hall.

RIENZI.

The Young Housekeeper.
[E. W. B. is New York Post.]

One source of discouragement to a young housekeeper is the fact that, after she has done the best she knows how, her husband keeps reminding her of the action of a scale; when the front steps, parlor and sitting room are up, the back steps, kitchen and pantry are down. It may be a comfort to her to know that the best regulated families, where one woman does all the work, this sometimes occurs, but experience helps to remedy the matter somewhat. Beginning after breakfast, let the table be cleared, the food all put away, and the dishes placed in an orderly way on the kitchen table. The tank should be filled with the water, and the fire all right to keep the water hot, while she goes to the front part of the house and does the necessary work there, not neglecting anything which in the event of a visitor will cause her annoyance. Get all the work as even as possible narrowed down to the kitchen. This plan should be pursued regularly; the day on which it is departed from will be one of defeat and humiliation. She is certain to have no more success in the kitchen by pushing all the work back into the kitchen room is to be neglected. Above all things keep the kitchen clean—in a great measure the health of the family depends upon this. A pleasant kitchen, convenient and inviting, is an inspiration to thorough work; better meals will be prepared there, and all that it costs to make this workshop what it should be will be amply paid for by the increased comfort afforded the faithful housewife, and through her to each member of the family.

In the present state of the world it is practically impossible that writings which are read by the instructed can be kept from the uneducated. If the teachers of mankind are to be cognizant of all that they ought to know, everything must be free to be written and published without restraint. —Mill.

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CINCINNATI DEPARTMENT.

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Mr. George W. Hays was in Cleveland, O., Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dickson went to Cleveland, O., Monday.

Miss Birdy Moreland, of Clermont county, was in our city last week.

Mrs. John Williams and children, of Front street, are visiting in Cleveland, O.

Mr. Dick Taylor, a very clever young gent, of Lexington, Ky., is visiting in our city.

Mr. Herman Livingston, of Washington, D. C., was in our city Friday, en route South.

Miss Laura young has returned to our city, after spending the vacation with her parents.

Miss Meta Polham, who was the guest of the Misses Fossett, left Friday evening for Hannibal, Mo.

Mr. C. W. Bell will address a large Republican meeting at Madison, Ind., on the 22 of this month.

The excursion that left our city Monday evening, for Cleveland, O., took a great many colored people.

Miss Amelia Taylor has returned home, after a pleasant visit to her cousin, Miss Bell Taylor, of Lexington, Ky.

Miss Adena White, of Barr street, is entertaining Miss Susy Bradford, a very pleasant young lady, of Indianapolis.

Mr. Sandy Batt gave a grand entertainment last Friday evening, in honor of his friend, Mr. J. H. Moody, of Louisville.

Mr. J. H. Moody, the gallant beau of Louisville, returned home Saturday and the young ladies of our city are very sorry.

Mrs. John Bunch, and Miss Cora Watson returned home Monday, after attending the Sunday-school Convention at Mechanicsburg.

Miss Ninnie King, a very handsome young lady, of Walnut Hills, has gone to St. Louis, to visit her sister, Mrs. Richard Cole, nee Miss Ada King. RAYMOND.

Walnut Hills (O.).

Our public school opened Monday with a large attendance.

Miss Sophia Daniels returned last week from her visit to Sandusky.

Miss Mary Weaver who is visiting friends at Morrow, Ohio will return in October.

Rev. H. Baltimore, preached an acceptable sermon at Mount Zion Church last Sunday.

The Dorcas Relief Society is doing well under the management of Mrs. Mary A. Haskins.

Miss Mamie E. Frye, left Thursday morning for Columbus, Ohio, to "take in" the Conference.

The Sunday School teachers of the A. M. E. Chapel, will meet hereafter regularly on Tuesday night.

The Garfield and Arthur Guards turned out last Saturday night, presenting a very fine appearance.

Mrs. Hattie Metcalf is delighted with the beautiful silver pitcher presented to her by the officers of Brown's Chapel.

The members and friends of Brown's Chapel, through Mrs. E. Armstrong, Mrs. Laura Webb and Miss Nettie Hood, presented their pastor a fine suit of clothes on last Sunday morning.

Miss Hattie B. Holmes, one of our most amiable young ladies has a well earned reputation as a pianist. In recognition of her fine musical gifts the Young Men's Glee Club on Wednesday night, 30th ult., presented her with a pair of beautiful vases filled with flowers.

The Hamilton County Teachers' Institute held its annual session last week in the Hughes' High School building. Walnut Hills was ably represented in the persons of Miss M. E. Payton, Miss Alford Willis, Miss Tillie R. Bunch, Miss Eliza Weaver, and Mrs. Sarah G. Jones.

A Young Girl Sleeps for Many Months.
[From the Daily Telegraph.]

Scarcely less astonishing than Dr. Tanner's recent feat of fasting is the condition of a young lady, the daughter of the Mayor of Grambske, a village near Bremen, who is said to have been fast asleep ever since the second week in January, with the exception of a few hours of semi-wakefulness at intervals of from six to eight weeks. An interesting account of her extraordinary state is published in the Hanover Courier. It appears that she lies plunged in a profound slumber and entirely unconscious of all that goes on around her, night and day, reclining on her left side warmly covered up and with a light gauze spread over her head. Nourishment, chiefly in a liquid form, is daily administered to her, which she swallows without awaking for a second.

She is a pretty, slender girl, of a pallid complexion, but she does not lose in weight during her trances of from forty to sixty days, and when awakes, exhibits a cheerful aspect as a rule. In recognition of her such small household tasks as her strength enables her to fulfill. Her father is a well-to-do man, who has consulted several eminent medical men, in the hope of discovering some remedy for his daughter's abnormal condition, which entails serious inconvenience and constant anxiety upon the other members of his family; but all efforts hitherto made to keep the unhappy girl awake have resulted in total failure. Since the case of the sleeping Ulian at Potsdam, no such interesting subject for study and observation on the part of the medical faculty has arisen as that of the strangely comatose Burgomaster's daughter of Grambske.

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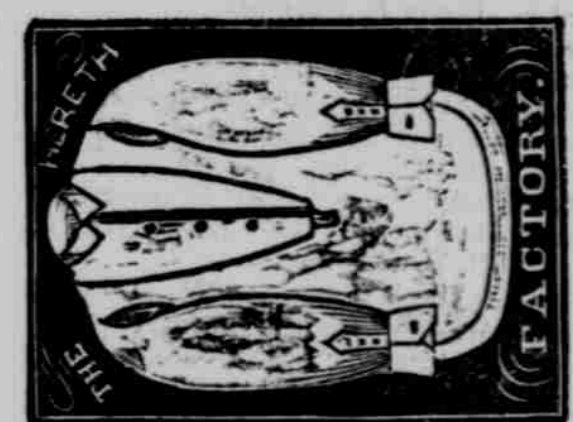
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